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Lone Peak Hotshots announce the recruitment of the Superintendent position. This is the notification of the process that will commence October 6, 2009 and close on December 6, 2009. Visit <https://statejobs.utah.gov/> to apply for this position.

FIRE TECHNICIAN IV: Hotshot Superintendent

Salary Range: \$17.89 - \$26.89 (Step 45-60)

This position is a full time (FTE) career service position (Schedule B) with state benefits and retirement.
(Subject to a one year probationary period)

Assignment location: UT-NWS based out of Draper, Utah

The Position and Duties:

The Utah Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands (UT-FFSL), is seeking a career fire supervisor to fill the Lone Peak IHC Superintendent position. This position requires a highly motivated, disciplined, team motivator to fill this complex management position. The incumbent has operational responsibility for the delivery of services for one of two State sponsored interagency hotshot crews in the nation. Challenges facing the successful candidate range from problem solving for a full range of situations encountered in fire suppression and other non-fire activities to budget creation and cost recovery. All candidates must meet the minimum qualifications as stated in the Standards for Interagency Hotshot Crew Operations www.nifc.gov/polices/ihc/ihc-standards.pdf.

Crew Overview:

The Lone Peak Interagency Hotshot Crew (IHC) was formed in 2001. Lone Peak IHC is a state sponsored hotshot crew operating within a cooperative partnership between UT-FFSL, and the U.S. Forest Service Intermountain Region (R4). This cost conscious approach allows the Forest Service and the State to create a unique national firefighting resource.

The crew adheres to all guidelines outlined in the Standards for Interagency Hotshot Crew Operations and is available for assignments between May 1st and October 31st (180 days). Applicants **MUST** be willing to implement and complete various National Fire Plan (NFP) projects when fire assignments are not available.

Facilities:

Lone Peak IHC is based out of Lone Peak Conservation Center in Draper, Utah. Office operations are centered in the recently constructed headquarters complete with two state of the art training/briefing rooms. Our base also includes two other office buildings, 100-person cache, saw shop, and buildings for vehicle storage. There are two locker rooms which aid seasonal crewmembers with gear storage and security of personal and issued gear.

Other Programs:

Total workforce at Lone Peak Conservation Center is around 117 employees, with 24 full time staff. Also based at Lone Peak are the Twin Peaks IA Crew, UFRA IA College Internship Crew, three Type 6 Engines, and two Type 3 Engines, a 10 person Brush Disposal Crew, and a 15 person Fuels Module (Dromedary Peak). Our diversity provides a great platform for advancement, cross training, leadership development, and interagency detail exposure aside from the Hotshot Crew opportunities.

**Location and Accommodations:**

While government housing is not available, the surrounding areas provide plenty of in-expensive options. Utah is the fifth most affordable state in the nation, with an average cost of living at 10% below the average, and housing costs—including apartment rentals—coming in at 15% below the national average. Rental rates for one-bedroom apartments average \$495-645 per month, while two-bedroom apartments for rent average \$695-845. Average condo prices in Salt Lake are \$186,979, and home prices \$284,756. Visit http://www.saltlakecityutah.org/salt_lake_demographics.htm for other information.

The base is located in the city of Draper, a suburb of Salt Lake City (SLC). Draper is located roughly 20 miles south of downtown SLC. Salt Lake and the surrounding vicinity have a population of about 1.2 million people. The elevation here is around 4,300 feet. The area typically receives 16 inches of rain and around 62 inches of snow annually. The average high temperature is 90 degrees in the summer and the average low is 20 degrees in the winter. The Salt Lake Area has a vast array of recreational opportunity, high caliber educational variety, and

To read up on more generalized information on the Salt Lake City area as well as the State of Utah, please visit the Salt Lake County Chamber of Commerce website located at www.saltlakechamber.org/visit-relocate/

Outreach Responses:

To respond to this Outreach Notice, please visit <https://statejobs.utah.gov/> and submit an online application. Please include all pertinent training and experience information. Preference will be give to applicants with prior Hotshot Crew experience with proven leadership background.

Visit our website <http://lonepeak.utah.gov> for detailed crew information and annual statistics. Also, the job employment link can be found there as well as other crew position opportunities.

For additional information or question clarification, contact:

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